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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
**(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))**

Docket No. : 47920/CM/M277  
Inventor(s) : Ronald K. Eyre, et al.  
Title : METHOD FOR FORMING CUTTING ELEMENTS  
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Date: February 20, 2002

**1. FEE TRANSMITTAL FORM** (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing).

**2. IF A CONTINUING APPLICATION**

This application is a Continuation of patent application No. 09/693,028.

Prior application information: Examiner Hoang Dang; Group Art Unit: 3672

This application claims priority pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119(e) and 37 CFR §1.78(a)(4), to provisional Application No. .

**3. APPLICATION COMPRISED OF**

**Specification**

Specification, claims and Abstract (total pages)

**Drawings**

Sheets of formal drawing(s) (FIGS. 1 to 13B)

**Declaration and Power of Attorney**

Newly executed

Unexecuted declaration

Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))(for continuation and divisional)

**4. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)**

**5. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)**

Computer Readable Copy

Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

Statement verifying identity of above copies

**6. APPLICANT(S) STATUS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.27**

Applicant(s) and any others associated with it/them under § 1.27(a) are a SMALL ENTITY

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**7. ALSO ENCLOSED ARE**

- Preliminary Amendment
- Includes "Cross-Reference to Related Applications"
- A Petition for Extension of Time for the parent application and the required fee are enclosed
- An Assignment of the invention with the Recordation Cover Sheet and the recordation fee are enclosed
- This application is owned by pursuant to an Assignment recorded at Reel , Frame
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
  - Copies of IDS Citations
  - Certified copy of Priority Document(s) (*if foreign priority is claimed*)
  - English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
- Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (should be specifically itemized).
- Other

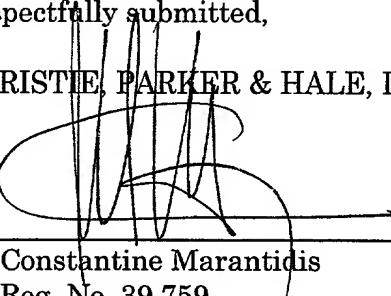
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**FEE DETERMINATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED					
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY RATE	Fee
<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	8 - 20	0	x \$9.00	x \$18.00	\$0.00
<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b>	2 - 3	0	x \$42.00	x \$84.00	\$0.00
<b>MULTIPLE-DEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE</b>			\$140.00	\$280.00	\$0.00
<b>BASIC FEE</b>			\$370.00	\$740.00	\$740.00
			<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>		<b>\$740.00</b>

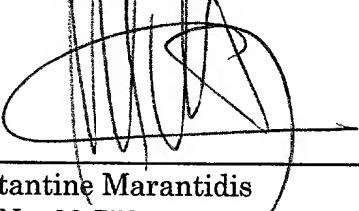
List Independent Claims: 1 and 4

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